

In the Claims

Please substitute the following clean copy text for the pending claims of the same number.

12. (Twice Amended) A cursor control device for ergonomic work surface and hand-held use, comprising:

a body including:

a convex palm surface configured to fit a palm of a hand that grips the device when operating said device in a mode off of a work surface;

C 4 a substantially planar base positioned opposite the palm surface;

a roller ball rotatably mounted in the body, the ball being positioned toward the forward portion of the body, and protruding above said body for actuation by a thumb of a user;

at least one key mounted at the forward portion of the body, the key having a portion that defines part of the frontal curvature of said body; and

a communicator between said device and a computer.

C 5 16. (Twice Amended) The device of claim 15 further comprising a scroll wheel disposed between the keys.

Please cancel claims 18 and 19.